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# Bass Rise™

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**WARNING: READ BEFORE USING YOUR PLAYSTATION® GAME CONSOLE.**

A very small percentage of individuals may experience epileptic seizures when exposed to certain light patterns or flashing lights. Exposure to certain patterns or backgrounds on a television screen or while playing video games, including games played on the PlayStation game console, may induce an epileptic seizure in these individuals. Certain conditions may induce previously undetected epileptic symptoms even in persons who have no history of prior seizures or epilepsy. If you, or anyone in your family, has an epileptic condition, consult your physician prior to playing. If you experience any of the following symptoms while playing a video game – dizziness, altered vision, eye or muscle twitches, loss of awareness, disorientation, any involuntary movement, or convulsions – IMMEDIATELY discontinue use and consult your physician before resuming play.

**WARNING TO OWNERS OF PROJECTION TELEVISIONS:**

Do not connect your PlayStation game console to a projection TV without first consulting the user manual for your projection TV, unless it is of the LCD type. Otherwise, it may permanently damage your TV screen.

**HANDLING YOUR PLAYSTATION DISC:**

- This compact disc is intended for use only with the PlayStation game console.
- Do not bend it, crush it or submerge it in liquids.
- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play.
- Keep this compact disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.

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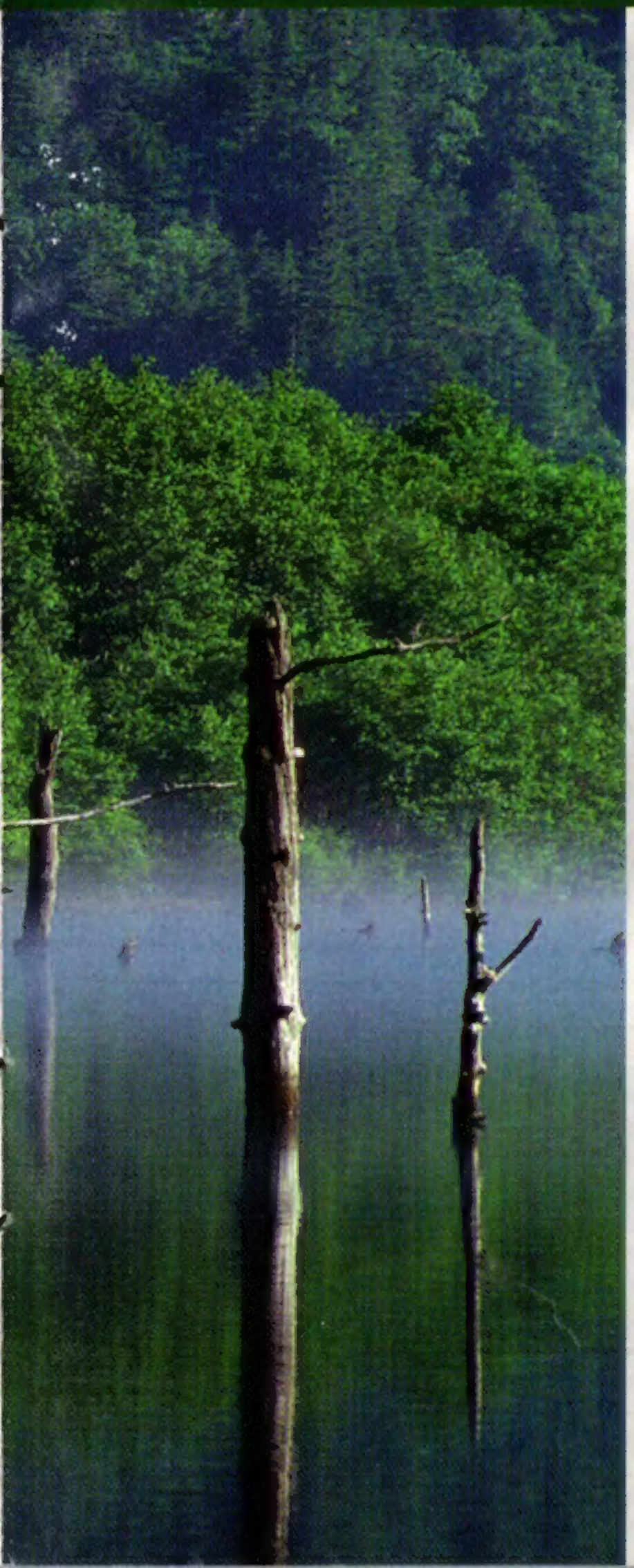

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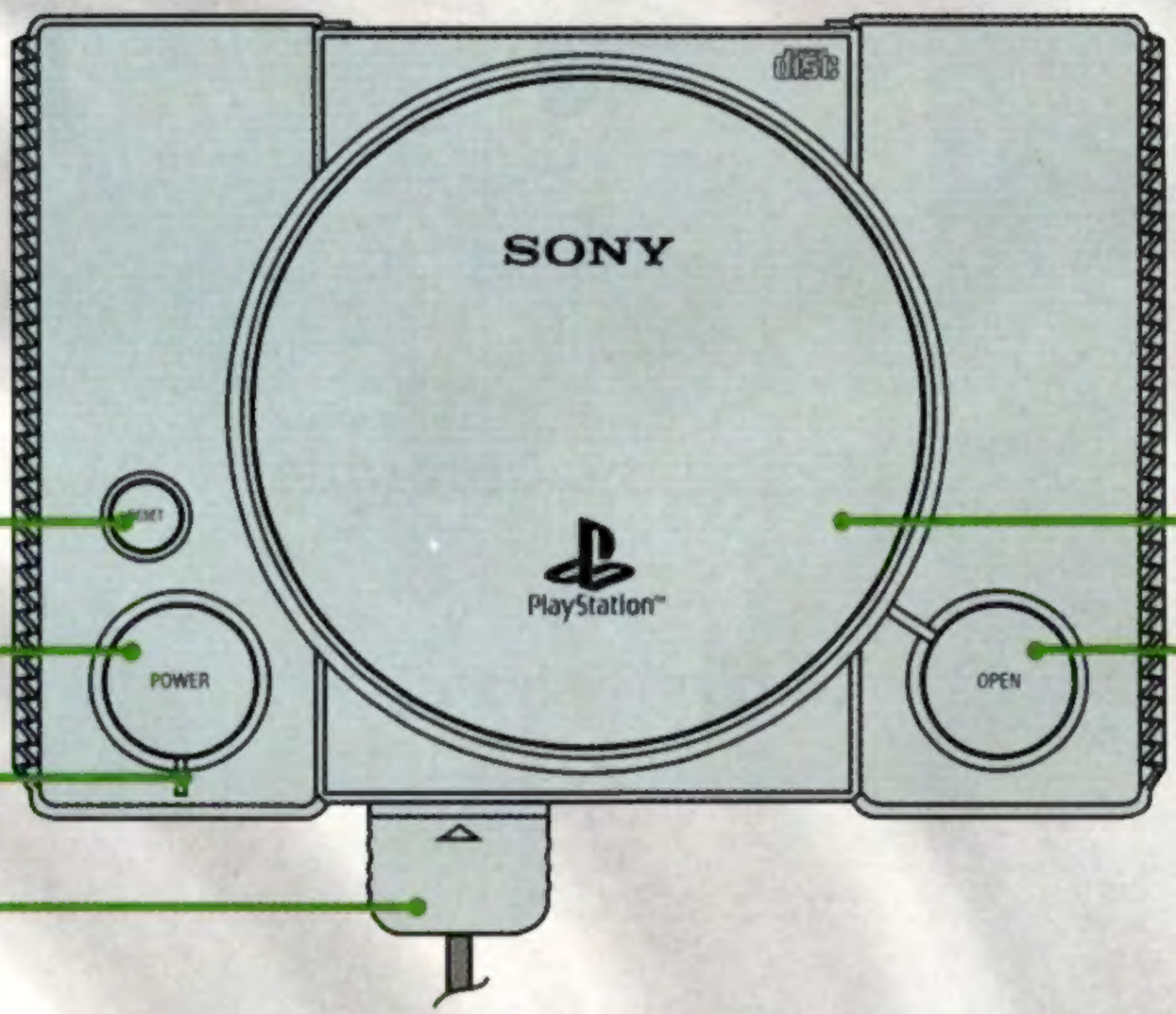
# SYSTEM START UP

Set up your PlayStation® game console according to the instructions in its Instruction Manual. Make sure the power is off before inserting or removing a compact disc.
Insert the Bass Rise™ disc and close the CD door. Insert game controllers and turn on the PlayStation® game console. Follow on-screen instructions to start a game.

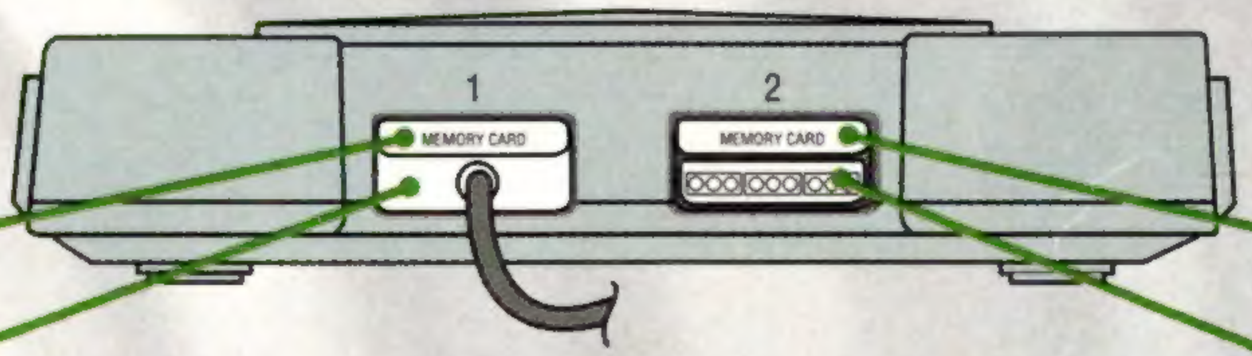
## Console

**Top View**




- Reset Button
- Power Button
- Power Indicator
- Controller Port
- Disc Cover
- Open Button

**Front View**

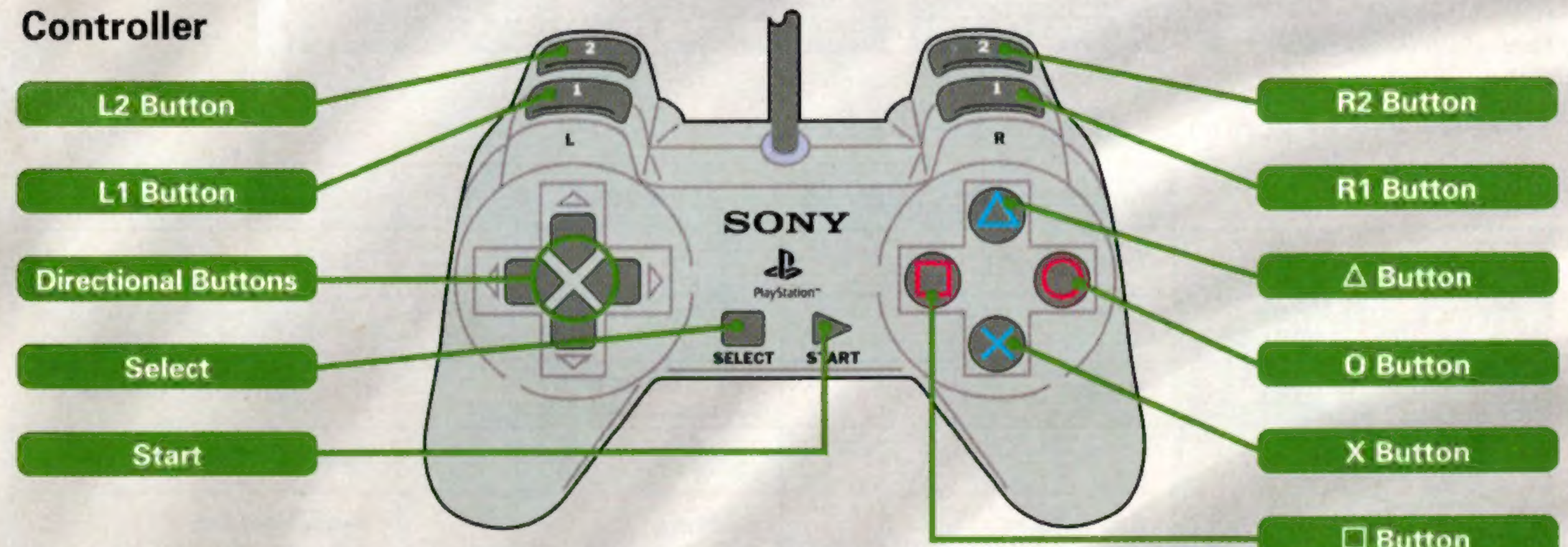



- Memory Card Slot 1
- Controller Port 1
- Memory Card Slot 2
- Controller Port 2

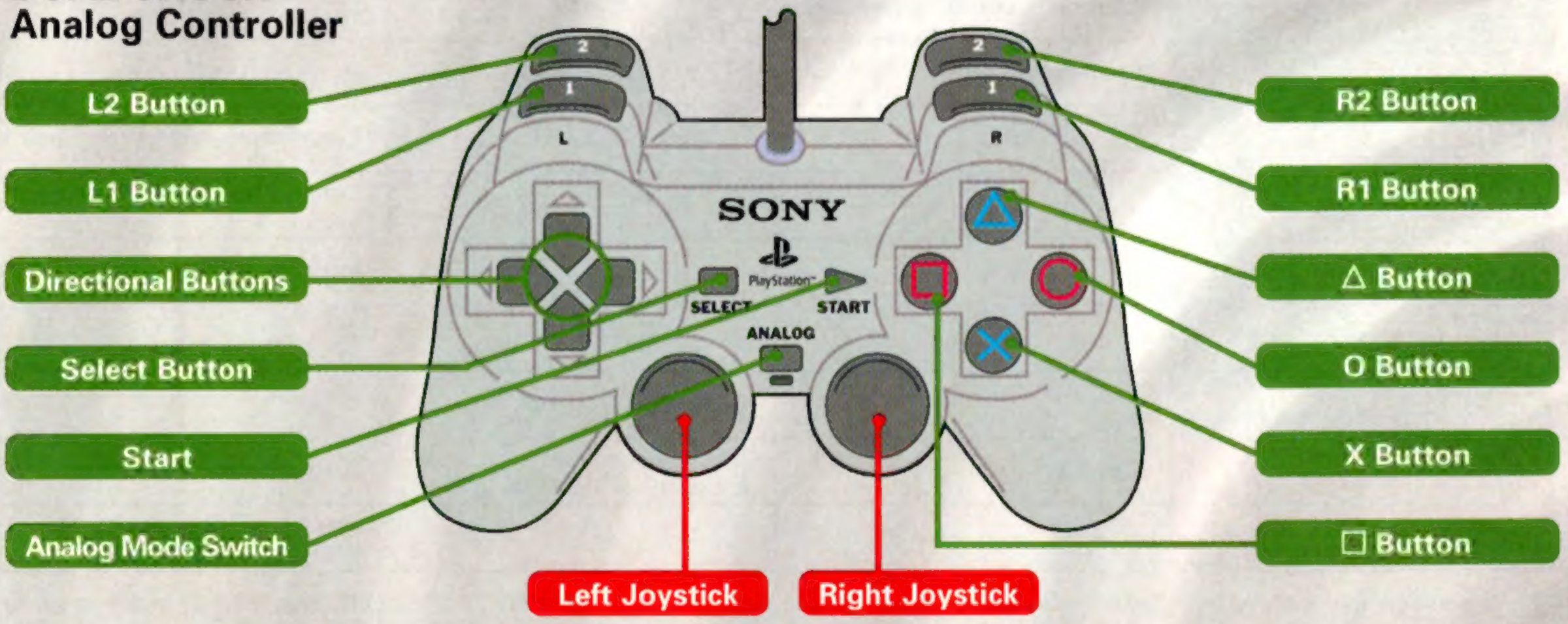
# USING THE CONTROLLER

The following instructions illustrate how to use the controller with Bass Rise™. When you catch a fish, the controller will vibrate in both analog and digital mode. **Note:** When using an analog controller, press the "Analog Mode Switch" on the controller before pressing "Start."

## Controller




## DUAL SHOCK™ Analog Controller



# USING THE CONTROLLER

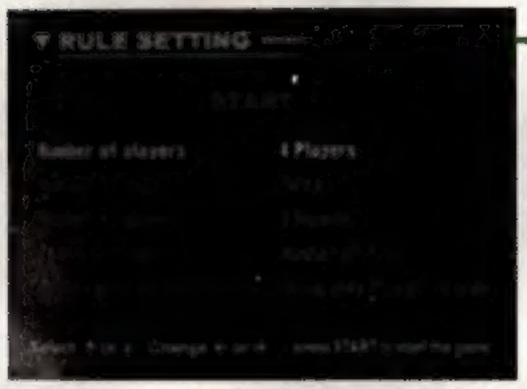
How to use the controller. (Please see chart below)

| | REGULAR SCREEN | SURFACE SCREEN | UNDERWATER SCREEN |
|---|---|---|---|
| START | Game Start | | Pause |
| SELECT | | | |
| DIRECTIONAL BUTTONS | Select | Item Selection/ Casting Direction | Rod/Tension Control |
| O BUTTON | | | Reel in (slowly) |
| X BUTTON | Execute | Casting | Vibration On ** |
| △ BUTTON | Cancel/Previous Screen | | Reel in (medium speed)/ Vibration Off ** |
| □ BUTTON | Lure Selection * | | Reel in (fast) |
| L1 BUTTON | | | Lure Movement (medium) |
| L2 BUTTON | | | Lure Movement (strong)/ Fish On |
| R1 BUTTON | | | Lure Movement (light) |
| R2 BUTTON | | | |
| □ + DIRECTIONAL BUTTONS | | Change Location | |
| LEFT JOYSTICK | Select | Item Selection/ Casting Direction | Rod/Tension Control |
| RIGHT JOYSTICK | | | Reel in (Push down to increase reel speed.) |

*Lure selection only available from Tackle Box screen. **Game must be paused before turning vibration on or off. Press "START" button to pause.

# GETTING STARTED

**Press "START" button for title screen. Using directional buttons, select desired mode. Press "START" to begin game.**




## Single Play

Use this mode to fish in various locations. Using directional buttons, select "NEW" to begin a new game, or "LOAD" to continue previous game. Then press "START."

If you select "LOAD," screen will prompt you to select Memory Card slot 1 or 2. When game loading is complete, press X Button.

## Vs. Play

Use this mode for 2 or more players. Players should alternate using the Player 1 controller.

## Option

Select "OPTION" to change any of the following:
- BGM volume (background music)
- Sound effect volume
- Sound output (stereo or mono)
- Information display
- Status display (line tension and length)
- Navigation display (help on/off)
- Controller settings
- Exit

# SINGLE PLAY

**Single Play** – Use this mode for 1 player. Choose from the following MENU selections.

### Go fishing

Select fishing location. (For detailed fishing instruction, see HOW TO PLAY section.)

### Lures

Use this screen to select or change lures in your tackle box. You can use up to three tackle boxes. Each tackle box holds up to 12 lures.

### Records

Check your current record for each level. Display standings according to: TYPE of fish (Large Mouth Bass, Small Mouth Bass, Blue Gill); LINE (8 lbs., 12 lbs., 16 lbs.); or SIZE (length, weight).

### Save/Load

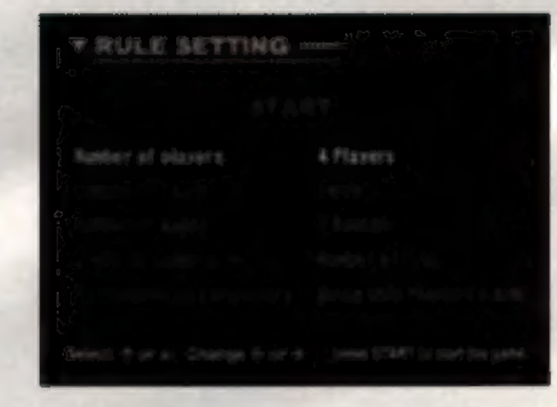
Save results from current round or load results from a previous round. Only one round can be saved on each memory card. To save a round, return to Save/Load option in MENU.

### Back to title

Go back to title screen.

# VS. PLAY

**Vs. Play**
Begin the match after setting the rules in the "Rule Setting" screen.
Controller usage is the same as for single play.




**Number of Players**
2 to 4 players can compete.

**Game Method**
Choose from 1-5 rounds, 1-5 casts per round.

**Three Types of Competition**
Compete according to weight, length, or quantity (except Blue Gills).

**Game Style**
Use 1-Player Port only. Players alternate using one controller.
If a second controller is plugged in, both controllers can be used.

**Rules**
Each player casts the same number of times per round and earns points depending upon ranking. The player who earns the highest points after all rounds are completed is the winner.

**To calculate total points –**

**1.** Figure total for each player per round.
Weight match – combined weight of all fish.
Length match – combined length of all fish.
Quantity match – total quantity of fish.

**2.** Award points by ranking.
For 4 player match, 4 points are awarded to the first place player, 3 points for second place, etc. For 3 or 2 player match, first place gets 3 or 2 points, respectively, and so on down the ranking. Players who tie are awarded equal points.

**3.** Award bonus points.
See chart below.

| | WEIGHT | LENGTH | QUANTITY |
|---|---|---|---|
| RECORD BONUS | For player who sets a new weight record: 1 point (Record remains after game) | For player who sets a new length record: 1 point (Record remains after game) | |
| DEFENDING BONUS | For player who maintains the weight record: 1 point (After each round) | For player who maintains the length record: 1 point (After each round) | |
| FIRST PLACE BONUS | First place: 1 point | First place: 1 point | First place: 1 point |

## CHANGE TACKLE

**Lure**

All lures in tackle box will appear on the screen. Use ▲ and ▼ directional buttons to select a lure. Press X button to execute.

**Line**

Use ◄ and ► directional buttons to select a line weight. Press X button to execute.

## CASTING

Use ◄ and ► directional buttons to change casting direction.
Use □ + ◄ or ► directional buttons to change player view.
Press X button to cast.

## FISHING

Press ○, △, and/or □ to reel in lure and maintain tension. Press L1 button to attract fish by moving lure.

When you have a fish lined up with your hook, press the L2 button to hook the fish.

Press ○, △, and/or □ to reel in fish.

**Note:** To ease line tension and prevent line break, you can slow/stop reeling or press the ◄ and ► directional buttons in the same direction that the fish is swimming. When navigation display function is set to ON, arrows will indicate the best direction in which to move the lure.

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